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1. Authorized Jim Garrison to go to New York tomorrow and procure air conditioning equipment on an emergency basis for Project [redacted]. He plans to make purchase through Project [redacted]

2. Had a call from Mr. deFrancis on behalf of Colonel Ernest who is interested in the Charles County property. Mr. deFrancis is sending us a letter, although he understands that Charles County is pretty much out of the running.

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3. Had a long talk with [redacted] The Project Administrative Planning Staff situation is getting no better fast. However, Ken asked me not to do anything on this for another two or three weeks by which time he thought he would have the new [redacted] Regulation ready to publish. Also discussed with him at great length his relationship to the Special Support Assistants. I do not believe that he understands it yet, and it would appear that there is lack of proper coordination between him and the Office of Logistics in particular.

4. Had a long talk with Mr. Baird Evans of the Evans Coffee Shop who wants to do battle about the Langley site. Told him that I could not offer him any advice at this time and that we did not know exactly what we were going to do until we received and analyzed the report from the National Capital Planning Commission. H

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5. Asked Mr. [redacted] to see if there were any possibility of placing Mr. [redacted] elsewhere in the DD/I area.

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